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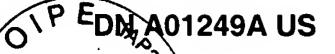
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## **COVER LETTER**

Sir:

Patentee has become aware of 3 references listed and cited in a European Search Report, mailed October 18, 2005, in connection with Patentee's corresponding European application (i.e., EP Appln. No. 05 07 6683). The references were not cited during prosecution of the above-identified US patent application and are listed below. The European Search Report, a copy of which is also enclosed herewith, provides an indication of the relevance of each of the documents cited therein. In addition, an English language abstract and a machine translation of the entire document are also provided herewith for the Japanese document.

US 4,686,202A US 5,559,065 JP 07 108177

Patentee believes that these 3 references are no more relevant to the patentability of the invention claimed in the above-identified US patent than the references already of record.

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In the foregoing circumstances, it is hereby requested that this Cover Letter and the accompanying papers be placed in the USPTO's file for US Patent 6,777,571.

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